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Chief Manager. Hongkong, 15th April, 1895.

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Honorary Secretary. Hongkong, 27th June, 1895.

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Sanitary Board, Honghong, 22nd June, 1895. FOR SALE.

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"CROMARTY," Captain Duncan, will be despatched as above en MONDAY, the set July, at 4 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, 24th June, 1895. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL. FIFE Company's Statuship

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"IJFQQ," Captain Kiopfer. - will -- be - despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 29th Instant, For Freight or Passage, apply to

CARLOWITZ'& Co., Hongkong, 27th June 1804:

FOR VLADIVOSTOCK, VIA SHANGHAI CHEFOO AND NAGASAKISA (Taking Cargo at throughwrates to COREAN PORTS). THE Steamship

Captain Barton, will he despatched as above or TUESDAY, the 2nd July, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Hongkong, 21st June, 1805. "GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL, THE Steamship

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Hongkong, 24th June: 1895 THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

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Hongkong, 27th June, 1804. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY. LIMITED.

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HUPEH." Captain Everest, will be despatched on SUN-DAY, the 7th July For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Agests. -Hongkong, 24th June, 1895.

SAILING VESSELS.

FOR BALTIMORE. THE 3/3 A.I.I. American Ship "CENTENNIAL,"

Colcord. Master, now loading for the above Port, will be followed by the 1/3 A.I.I. American Bark FRED. P. LITCHFIELD. Young, Master, to load here for the above Port

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"BELMONT." Ladd, Master, will load here for the above Port and will have quick despatch. Foe Freight, apply to

CARLOWITZ & Ca.

Hongkong, 17th June, 1804 NOTICE TO SHIPPERS. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE 100 At Steel 4 Masted Bark! "ALCEDO."

Ceptabe Ri Coutts, will load here for the above Port, and be despatched on or about the 25th Tuly, s. C. For Freight, apply to

MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, 7th June, 1894. FOR NEW YORK.

"SANTA CLARA," Fuller, Master, shortly expected from Shaughni

will load here for the above Port, and will have nuick despatch. For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co.

Hongkong, 14th May, 1894. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE 100 A. I. British Ship

"GLENESSLIN." Pritchard, Master, will load here for the abov Port, and will have quick despatch, For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co.

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NOTICE

CONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamilto

The above Steamer having arrived, Consignose of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for pountersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from along-

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

J. S. VAN BUREN,

Hongkonst 27th June : #805. THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGA

TION COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM GLASGOW, MANCHESTER, Liverpool Penangiand Singapore.

THE Company's Steamship a

"NINGCHOW!" having arrived from the above Ports; Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Kowloon, whence delivery

may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the God-was, and all Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon on the and July, or they will not be

recognized, . All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns where they will be examined on the 1st July.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowas after the 2nd July, will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the centrary be given before Noon,

TO-DAY. Bills of Ending will be countersigned by" HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,

Hongkong, 26th June, 1805. "MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S. S. HARGYLL.

FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND STRAITS. that all Goods are being landed at their risk: Into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at

Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO-DAY.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the jut proximo, will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be prosented to the Undersigned on or before the 1st

proximo, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 1st proximo, at 9 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

DODWELL CARLILL & Ca., Hongkong, 24th June, 1895.

"MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "PATHAN." FROM NEW YORK AND STRAFTS:

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongtong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves; delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining, undelivered after the 1st proximo, will be subjects

to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the .Undersigned on or before the aste proximo, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are: to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 1st proximo, at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, 24th June, 1805; "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S. S. "RADNORSHIRE," FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON', AND STRAITS.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed; at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong, and Kowleen Wharf and Godown Company, at

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No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & Co. Agentso

Hengkong, 24th June, 1895.

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To-day's Advertisements.

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THE NEW ILLARD OPERA COMPANY TO-NIGHT, (FRIDAY), 28TH JUNE,

By Special Request "THE GAIETY GIRL" TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), 29TH JUNE:

"THE LADY SLAVEY." PLAN at Messrs, KELLY & WALSH's, Ld. Late Trams will run 15 minutes after each Performance. Hongkong, 28th June, 1895.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. No. 277.

INFORMATION has been received from the Military' Authorities that ARTILLERY PRACTICE from the Batteries will take place as under, from the 1st to 31st July, 1895, (Sundays excepted), between the hours of 8 A.M. and 5

From Stonecutter's Island in Westerly and South-Westerly directions. From Belchers in Northerly and North-Westerly directions.

From Lyemun in North-Westerly, North-Easterly and South-Easterly directions. All Ships, Junks, and other Vessels are cautioned to keep clear of the ranges.

The inhabitants of the houses near Belchers are warned to keen their glass windows open during the PRACTICE, and all people working in the vicinity of Belcher's Battery are also warned to keep clear of that part which will be indicated by gunners placed on sentry for the

By Command J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 21st June, 1805.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY FOR SHANGHAL (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEWCHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and PORTS on the YANGTEZE.) THE Company's Steamship

"ORESTES" Cautain Pulford, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 20th instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Hongkong, 28th Jane, 1895. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE. COLOMBO. ADEN. SUEZ. ANTWERP BREMEN AND WARD,
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	Monday 16th Sept.
	Monday 74th Oct.
	Monday 11th Nov.
	Monday oth Dec.
	Monday 6th Jan.

Gira | Monday ... | 3rd Feb. N MONDAY, the 22nd day of July, 1805 at 3 P.M. the Company's Steamship "BAYERN," Captain Schmolder, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, calling at NAPLES and nised. GENOA

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon on SATURDAY, the 20th July. Cargo and Specie will be received on board until NOON on MONDAY the 22nd July and Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office until Noo on SUNDAY, the sist July. Contents of Packages are required. N Parcel Receipts will be signed for less than \$2, and Parcels should not exceed Two Feet Cubic in Measurement.

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MELCHERS & Co., Hongkong, 28th June, 1875.

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NOTICE. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) THE Company's Steamship

"HOHENZOLLERN," Captain H. Walter, will leave for the above Ports on or about WEDNESDAY, the 3rd July. *For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkorg, 25th June, 1805. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE. STEAM TO SHANGHAL HE Company's Steamship

"BAYERN," Captain Schmolder, due here with the outward German Mail about the 2nd July, will leave for the ab we place about 24 hours after arrival. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, 28th June, 1895. TAK CHEUNG.

TAILORS AND OUTFITTERS, A JE have This Day REMOVED to Nos. 50 & 52, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, mext to Messes, CHS. J. GAUPP & Co's. ... Hongkong. 28th June, 1891.

To-dan's Advertisements.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO. THE Company's Steamship

Captain H. Bathurst, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 30th instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS, LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 28th June, 1805.

FOR SHANGHAI AND CHINKIANG. THE Steamship

" BYGDO. Captain Bakke, will be despatched for the abovenamed Ports on or about 30th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DANENBERG & Co. [854 | manufacture throughout. Hongkong, 28th June, 1805. AUSTR'AN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA

TION COMPANY. (UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT.) STEAM FOR

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"MARIA VALERIE." Captain B. Vidos, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 4th July. Cargo will not be received on board after P.M. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to

SANDER & Co., Hongkong, 28th June, 1805. "INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

THE Company's Steamship 'WINGSANG.' Captain J. Young, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 5th July, at 3 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkone, 28th June, 1895. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA. PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamable having arrived tome the appear Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods, will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 P.M. on MONDAY, the 1st July, will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Godowns at East Point. No Fire Insurance will be effected

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 28th June, 1805.

"GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON & STRAITS.

THE Steamship " Glenfruin " having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her, are bereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Golowas of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon,

whence delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon TO-MORROW.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 5th Tuly, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the rith July, otherwise they will not be recog-Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, 28th June, 1804;

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At Padang, Sumatra, West Coast, on the 31st May, the wife of BENJAMIN PURDY, Sub-Agent

of the British and Foreign Bible Society, Sumatra, of a daughter. On the 10th instant, at the Residency, Penang, the wife of the Hon. HENRY TROTTER, of a daughter.

At his residence, Parses Lodge, Singapore, that the colony is free from the plague." We on 21st June, the wife of A. P. WILLIAMS, of a Jure very glad indeed to hear that the Colony is daughter.

HOMGKONG, FRIDAY, JUNE 28, 1895.

THE CHOLERA EPIDEMIC AT SINGAPORE,

Wz publish in another column an article from the Singapore Free Press of the 20th June, apropos the visitation of cholera to which Singapore has unfortunately been subjected during the past few days. Wenote from our Straits exchanges that on the 21st of June a special meeting of the Municipal Commission was held to devise means for dealing more effectively with the epidemic. We congratulate our friends in the Straits on the possession of an efficient popular gorganisation capable of tackling the work, to a great extent independently of the Government and of the officials, and on the promptness and vigour with which they have set to work, and we hope that they will, be as successful as the Sanitary Board was here last year in checking the spread of the plague and his bringing lit within manageable limits. We see that they, too, are hampered, although they have

with the collection of mortality statistics. Through the utter valuelessness of the system in vogue here of reporting and registering diseases and deaths, the Sanitary Board last year found the plague all round them before they had had any

warning of its advent. It is now clear that the plague was in the Colony as early, at least, as 18th April, but it was only on the 10th May that it was officially recognized and reported. In Singapore the Police (here the Registrar General's Department) register deaths. In neither place was any effort made to ascertainingny case the real cause of death. Any statement was accepted-"fever chiefly. Here the deaths were tabulated weekly; 'in Singapore monthly only, and the Health Officer only saw them, such as they were, in the middle of the following month. In Singapore the death-rate had to secure a port in Korea. suddenly nearly doubled in April. The returns for April only reached the Health Officer in the middle of May and it was then found that all the extra deaths were but down to fever. It was the same here with the abnormal plague deaths at first. The assistance asked for by the Commissioners in Singapore is the same which has been repeatedly asked for here by the Sanitary Board, and repeatedly recommended by Dr. Jas. Cantlin and the College of Chinese | warships in port, Medecine, namely, District Apothecaries to receive the reports of deaths and by inspection verify, so far as possible, the alleged cause of death by inspection before a burial certificate issues The Medical Commission which sat in Hongkong recently again recommended the appointment of District Dispensaries under qualified superin-

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that recommendation?

tendence, mainly with a view to the more

efficient, and consequent more useful

registration of deaths and diseases. What

is the Government doing to give effect to

MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S ELECTION ADDRESS.

LONDON, June 27th. Mr. Chamberlain in his election address says that the Unionists are absolutely in accord in discarding the wild constitutional changes planned by the late Government and that they will devote their attention to social reform, and safeguard the defensive resources of the Empire.

TURKEY AND BULGARIA.

Strained relations exist between Turkey and Bulgaria in consequence of Turkey having warned the Bulgarians not to interiers with th agitation in Macedonia.

ANOTHER TYPHOON

The Observatory officials notify that at 4.29 p.m. a depression appeared to be situated W.N.W. of Bolingo. The barometer had fallen to 29.63 at 4.25 p.m.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

* A MASS of correspondence and other very interesting matter is "crowded out" of this issue, and will therefore be published in our next issue.

Two French steamers chartered by the Directors of the Russian Volunteer Fleet for the conveyance of troops to Vladivostock were expected at Singapore a few days ago.

JINKS:-I see the silver men are getting more and more faustical. WINKS:-How's that?

JINKS:-Why, they refuse to recognise the golden rule.

MR. L. D. CASTRO, late Spanish Consul in

Mexico, left, to-day by the City of Paking for a

short trip to Yokohama, whence he proceeds to

Cadis to assume charge of Mexican interests in

The Assistant Sanitary Superintendent informs us that "the return of cases of plague bitherto prepared daily for the Press, will now be discontinued. In future if they do not receive a communication by 4 p.m. it may be assumed that no case has been reported at his office and

once more free from plague. APRE THE REPORT OF THE PARTY AND A PARTY. Mr. T. MITCHELL, who has been connected with time past left for home by the City of Paking te-day. Mr. Mitchell leaves behind him in these

takes in the 'suld countrie."

THE Willard Opera Company appeared last pight at the Theatre Royal, City Hall, in the butlesque "Aladdio," before an audience which, on the merits of the artistes and the fun connected with the piece, should have been layour the Hongkong public with an encore performance of "The Galety Girl," for which the booking has been unprecendentedly brisk.

197 | the Commission or its Medical Officer | vessel, they were proper prizes of was,

AT the Marine Magistrate's Court to-day "Bill ! Bridger, sailor, of the steamer Annandals, was sent " aloft" for seven days for refusing duty.

Two old offenders were "up" to-day for sneaking" a jacket and a hammer. They have gone into retirement for six months.

A CONGRESS of the Chambers of Commerce of the British Emp're is to be held in London in June 1896. Among the subjects for discussion will be railway communication with India and the

RUSSIA'S course to browbeating Japan is said by American journals' to be due to some extent to the personal animosity of Emperor Nicholas II to the Island Empire. He appears to be doing all he can to harass Japan spart from his desire

TO-DAY being the anniversary of the coronation of Queen Victoria, the Royal Standard was hoisted at Government House, Headquarter House ard on board H.M S. Victor Emanuel, which, in common with the foreign men-of-war in port (the Kaiser and Prinzess Wilhelm), was gally decorated with bunting. At noon royal salutes were fired from the North Battery and all the

MESSES. WATKING & Co. have forwarded to us sample bottle of their Bourst Wine which undoubtedly an excellent nutritive toniespecially adapted for use during the ho season and as our very own "taster " pronounce: it to be "a pleasant, invigorating, sustaining and non-alcoholic beverage" it should find favour with all sorts and conditions of people, including, of course, members of the most distinguished Order of Good Templars.

THE Selangor Plantations Syndicater Limited has been registered by Linklater & Co., 2 Bondcourt, Walbrook, with a capital of £25,000 in £100 shares. The object is to acquire from H. Hüttenbach certain estates, plantations, &c., in the State of Sclanger, in the Malay Peninsula and to develop and turn to account the same is such manner as the company shall see fit. The directors are Messis. J. Somerville, A. Kent, and L. Hüttenbach. Qualification, one share; remuneration, 5 per cent. of the net profits, divisible.

A MOVEL way of Chinese smuggling into America has just been discovered in Montreal. Chinamen came from Vancouver to Montreal, whence they where shipped in batches of six to Quebec, where they were dressed up as women. In this disguise they were forwarded to St. John, N.B., and were kept in hiding for a day or two. Ventilated coffins were next provided, and these corpses were shipped to Vancebore, Maine, where they were claimed by another of the gang, who arranged for their distribution throughout the United States.

WE regret to note by the files of Singapore papers received here to-day that cholera is abroad in the "sister colony" in epidemic form Between the roth and the roth instant 46 cases of choicra had been reported, of which 36 ended fatally. The disease is most rife in the Tanjong Pagar district where the insanitary condition of that portion of the city doubtless favours the spread of the disease. The cholera does not appear to be "abating in any degree, says the Stratts Times of the gist instant, as since -yesterdsy-(soth)-at-12-o'clock-to-noon-to-day there were 15 new cases reported and 3 deaths.

DR. FALB, the astrologer, who is really a very able man apart from his hobby for predicting future events, announces that the end of the world, prophesied by him to take place in 1806, has been indefinitely postponed, in consequence o unforescen events, which he does not specify Dr. Sigl, the rabid Bavarian Secessionist, wants to know if the proposed German Gig Laws (Umsture Gesele) have anything to do with the matter. He also mentions in his Vaterland (Munich), that the prediction is nothing new, In 1544 Fère Philippe Olivaricus, of Citeux, says in his writings that Paris would be destroyed in 1896, and the whole world in 1800."

WITH regard to Korea, Japanese papers of al shades of opinion are united in urging the Government to maintain, at whatever cost, the position already taken there. There seems to be an apprehension among the public lest the return of Count_Incure may prelude the sdoption of a new policy, with a view to slackening ing-place of spidemic, would be immensely Japan's hold upon the peninsula. The THE altered for the batter. But even as matters the Naval Dock Yard at Hongkong for some I Shimpo's article may be taken as representative on this subject. It is uncompromisingly opposed to any policy tending to leave Korea to her fair realms of the blest a host of old friends and own fate. To the contention that continued any number of acquaintances who trust he will interference in Korean affairs would b have a pleasant trip across the Pacific and meet inconsistent with the avowed object of Japan's with unqualified success in whatever he under. | war with China-namely, the independence. Korea—the Fift replies that in order to attain we have enjoyed so long, and, as the fact that object it is but proper and necessary for Japan to continue for some time to guide and instruct the peninsular kingdom how to play the new rôle secured to it by the successful issue of the war. Japan did not declare how long she would continue to act as Korea's guide and very much larger than it was. To-night this instructor; that point was left entirely to her alented and thoroughly up-to-date troupe will own discretion. As to the objection that Japan is doing just what she blamed China for doing in Kores, our contemporary remarks that there is all the difference in the world between the conduct of China and that of Japan toward the IT is stated in the Japanese Official Gazette little Kingdom. China's policy had a blighting that the Saseho Prize Court gave on the 12th Influence upon Korea; while Japan is honestly inst. judgment in the case of 220 boxes of small | endeavouring to breathenew life into the Korean arm ammanition, etc., which were selved by the people and bring them under the beneficen Tsukuba Kan from the lighter Pekin, of the influence of modern civilization. Such being the Tog and Lighter Co., Taku, when alongside the | case, no civilized nation has any right to protest steamer Ythiang on the 9th of April Isst, off against what Japan is doing in Kores. Should, Taku. The Court decided that the articles in | however, any Power have assurance enough to question, being contraband of war which a make such a protest, the 71/1 advises the belligerent state is entitled to seles outside the Government to have no hesitation in rejecting Health Officer of their own, by the territory of nentral states, without respect to the it. "It will be easy enough to act in common folly of the Government, in not entrusting | personage of the owner or the nationality of the with some of the Powers. At all events, Japan such epidemic outbreaks as that just recorded has advanced too fas to be able to setreat." were quite unheard of,"

CRICKET

This match was played at Mappy Vall w this afternoon between teams representing Warrant Officers, the Staff Sergeania and Serge inte of the Royal Arill'ery, and members of the up-to-date Willard Opera Company. After a keen struggle the "opera boys" proved victorious by 39 runs.

Appended are the scores : -ROYAL ARTITLERRY. S. I. G. O'Conner, e Barren, b Warrington Sergt. Gould, b Munre...... C. S. M Severn, b Munro Forgt. Day, b Munro Sergt. Iego, b Warrington Sergt. Wells, not nut Leg byes

WILLARD OPERA COMPANY. Ross, card b Igro.....

CHOLERA EPIDEMIC AT SINGAPORE.

Mr. Barron, (Subs.) not out......

Referring to the epidemic of cholers which is just now causing numerous deaths in Singaporc, the Free Press of the 20th instant says:-"Over eight years ago, in discussing the responsibilities of Municipalities for the public bealth, it was stated in these columns :- 'In colder climates than , that of our colony, no doubt, the destructive effect upon public health of the prevalence of insanitary conditions may not be felt so acutely or operate so rapidly as in the tropics, but the natural effect must, notwithstanding, follow sconer or later in the absence of efficient preventive measures. But beneath the vertical sun of the equatorial regions, where the decomposition of dead organic matter is such a swift and active process, and where the generation of disease-germs is so vigorous in the congenial environment afforded by a densely populated Eastern city, there must be incresunt precaution and constant effort on

the part of those in whose hand lies the allimportant charge of the hygienic welfare of the "Many a time since then, often for the sake of encouragement, occasionally for the sake of reproof, have we taken occasion to dwell on the absolutely first and foremost duty of the Municipal Commission,—the preservation of public health and the maintenance of such urban sanitary conditions as will protect the public health from risk of such epidemics as are to be particularly attributed to contempt for, or neglect of, sanitary principles. Time after time have we indicated the specially favoured circumstances of Singapore and its remarkable freedom from epidemics, su immunity quite unusual is a tropical town with a large population situated practically on the seg-level. Again, a little over a year ago (18th May, 1894) we wrote on this point as follows: - Among the natural advantages enjoyed here is, first of all, a comparatively moderate mean annual temperature, and entire absence of anything like high thermometer readings. When, as during the exceptional heat of the past few days, everybody is found complaining of anything over over 900, it is plain that roc , a temperature too often felt in India and Burms just before the break of the monsoon, would be considered as an unprecedented and unspeakable calamity. Then again there is a fairly diffused annual rainfall, quite sufficient in quautity, with its excellent results in cooling the atmosphere, flushing and sweetening the surface drainage channels, and maintaining and refreshing the sources of water-supply. Added to this is the great advantage of proximity to the sea, and the enrichment of the air by the exone disengaged from the sait water kept in constant movement by wave and tide. Then again there is among the advantages obtained by administration, an excellent and abundant water-supply well distributed, thus bringing within reach of the lowest ranks of the community the first requisits of cleanismess and domestic sanitation. There is further a general absence of covered drains, often, as in Hongkong, dangerous as not easily cleared receptacles for all manner of impurities. . . . Our local system of conservancy is simple and efficient, although rapidly becoming unable to keep pace with the growth of the population, and a scheme for its further expansion and improvement is now before the Municipal Commission. The special danger in Singapore is the building of houses back to back, without air spaces or dividing alleys, the arrangement thus making each block between, street intersections a mere human rabbit warren in brickwork, There is within these limits overcrowding, filth. absence of air and light quite sufficient to cause disease outbreaks at any times; but what really helps to minimise the risk is that the blocksate isolated from each other by fairly wide streets, avenues of ventliation. The time may perhaps come when the Municipality will be able to break up at least the larger of these insanitary blocks by driving alleys right through taking the necessary space out of the allotments that lie between and built upon, back to back. Were this systematically done, and care taken in the extension of the town to provide for air-spaces and alleys for sanitary purposes, what we hold to be the chief danger to health, and the chief harbourstand it is no small thing that Bingapore is thankfully able to congra ulate fiself upon being not as .. many other places are in liability to disease of epid mic character.' The occurrence of what is the fi st semblance of a cholera epidemic, as set forth in the proceedings of yesterday's Municipal meeting, is a clear warning that we must now bid good-bye, once for all, of to that immunity from choleraic disease, that demonstrates, so undeservedly. Our good luck has hung on to us so I'ng that we have begun to look for it as a postulate, instead of as a long "run on the red" in our favour. Black has turned up, and we needn't really be surprised a bit at it. And the man who is least surprised must be, in the nature of things, Dr. Middleton himself. We

have, as pointed out above, a fair hand of

trumps in the way of a capital and abundant

water supply, and no subsoll sewage drains to

speak of. But what is now beginning to tell

after's wonderfully long spell of quiescence, is

the sodden fermenting flith with which the

foundations of so large an area of the town must

be saturated; the viose back to-back building; the

exclusion of sunlight, that magnificent germi-

cides and the insufficient supply of vintilation

in many of the close-built quarters of the town,

The Municipality may take it as gospel that

when once these cumulative fuffuences begin to

encourage the play of choleraic epidemic, in its

season, they will go on colleg so, from this time

henceforth, more and more abundantly and more

and more easily. A parting word of advice to

the Maricipality tire Let them be careful how

any sischness:on their part permits Singapore

in the years to cor o to past with the reputation

It has hitherto enjoyed of being a locality where

FORMOSA NEWS.

Among the many carefully written and highly interesting articles published in the June. number of The Sun, a Japanese monthly review of politics, science, literature and art, published in Toklo, there is a very interesting report on Formosa from which we call the following

Only one third of the whole island of Formosa can be said to be at all civilized, and of this third the status of the population is so low that industries have but little been developed. One of the first things to be attended to would be to encourage immigration, and to subsidise productive industries. Sugar, tea, rice and coa form the principal articles of export. In 1893 the amount of sugar exported to Japan amounted to 500, 920 tax. The tea production is said to he very considerable, being chiefly in the hands of the Chinese.

The Kelung coat mine is worked on a small scale and is said not to have hitherto been profitable. In the hands of the Japanese more capital will be invested in it, and it is believed that at better quality of coal will be taken from a lower stratum.

On account of the customs and usages in Formesa being not vet ascertained, the intended calabilanment of indicial courts will, for a time, be put off. Heavy criminal cises will be tried by court martial, lighter cases will be disposed of by gendarmes, while civil cases will be put into the hands of the administrative government.

The two impending undertakings in Formosa involving great future interest are the construction of the railroad between Tamsui and the capital of Formera, and the building of a wharf at Takao. Geographically speaking, the site of the capital could hardly be excelled, being centrally located; but rapid currents and rough waves, coupled with the absence of a good harbour, make it impossible for vessels to stop slong the coast. To develop the commercial and industrial interests of the capital of it with Tamsul with a railroad of 700 %. Of all the three ports, f.c. Tamsul, Keelung and Takao, the only harbour where ble vestels and mea-ofwar can enter is Takao. The condition of tide and shallowness of the water at Tamsul make it extremely difficult for ships of any size to enter there. As Taken has such a splendld location, if a proper wherf and breakwater be constructed it will be made a fine barbour.

Our people going to Formosa are liable to catch a fever peculiar to the island. The sudden change of climate which one going from this country experiences and the frightful filthiness of the streets and houses make the disease spread more rapidly. As soon as the Island comes under our administration the necessary saintary measures will be adopted at once.

The party that accompanied Governor General Kabayama to Formosa for managing the existing railroads and for laying new lines in that island consisted of 15 envincers, 21 chief train-conductors, 15 telegraphic engineers, and 250 workmen attached to the railroad corps.

In Formosa the highest temperature in midsummer often goes above trop out of doors, but not so much in the shade, and at night the thermometer goes down to 84 o or 86 o. Even in daytime one does not feel the heat so much, as cool winds from the surrounding mountains somewhat mitigate the heat.

The dwellings of the aborigines resemble: The floor is made about a or A feet high, so as to prevent the inroads of insects. As to dress they simply wrap a piece of cotton cloth 'about their loins, but the women of higher rank have their body covered with a sheet, with a hole in its centre through which they put their heads.

The Official Gazette contains the following notification :-

THE BUREAU OF FORMOSAN APPAIRS. Art. I.—In the Cahinet there shall be established a Bureau for Formosa Affairs under the control of the Minister President of State,

Art. II .- The Bureau of Formosan Affairs shall have charge of all matters, civil and military, relating to Formosa and the Pescadore

Art. III .- The Bureau of Formosan Affair shall present to the Minister President of State its views upon the representations and reports forwarded by the Governor-General of Formosa,

Art. IV .- All correspondence between the different departments and offices of the Central Government and the Governor-General of Formose, shall be conveyed through the medium of the Bureau of Formosan Affairs,

All correspondence directed to the Governor-General of Formosa from the different departments and Offices of the Central Government, shall previously be submitted to the inspection of the Bureau of Formosan Affairs,

Art. V .- The Bureau' of Formosan Affairs shall be constituted by a President, and Vice-

Art. VI.-The position of President shall be filled by an official of Skinnin rank, and that of

Vice-President by one of Chohunta rank Art. VII.—Commissioners shall be pominated on the recommendation of the Minister President

Art. VIII -The President shall make regulations about investigations, debates, and the

management of business, and shall report the same to the Minister Pres'dent of State.

the general business of the Bureau. Art. X.—In case of the disability of the President, his functions shall be discharged by the

Vice-President. With the exception of the case mentioned in the preceding clause, the Vice-President shall have in the debates exactly the same status as

the Commissioners. Art. Xi.-Besides taking part in the debates, the Commissioners may, by order of the Presi-

ment of the business of the Bureau. Art. XII .- . The President, the Vice-President,

allowance not exceeding a thousand yen.

Art. XIII.-Two Secretaries shall ance with the accompanying schedule.

The Secretaries, under the direction of the President, shall manage the general business of the Bureau.

Art. XIV.—A certain number of clerks shall be appointed to the Bureau of Formosan Affairs. be engaged in the conduct of general business under the direction of superior officials,

SCHEDULE. Sonin Rank Official rank and grade, grade, grade grade. Annual salary 4 0,500 C 1,000 E 1,600 G 1,800

THE FORMOSA BOARD OF CONTROL. The personnel of the Formosa Board of Control has been determined, though not yet gazetted. The names of the leading members of the Board are :--

Prasident.

H. E. Count ITO. Lieut.-General KAWAKAMI. Vice-President. Mr. Ito Miyoji Grand Secretary of the Cabinat. Mr. SUYEMATSU KENCHO, Chief of the Legislative Bureau. Rear-Admiral YAMANOTO. Commissioner: Mr. HARA, Vice-Minister of

Foreign Affairs. Mr. TAJIRI, Vice Minister o Finance. Mr. DEN, Chief of the Bureau of Communications.

NEWS IN ADVANCE OF THE ENGLISH MAIL.

LONDON. May 23rd. London Chamber of Commerce was held on the Imposed by Sections 27 to 37 inclusive of the Freje 21st May. Sir A. K. Rollit, M.P., the President, Tariff Act of 1894, so far as it fell on the income Ingrabas said that their membership had increased by of real estate and on personal property, being a 360, and was now nearly 4.000; their finances direct tax within the meaning of the Con-the formation of an economic section, and the taking of an active interest in the reorganization | representation, all those sections constituting of the University of London. As to the course of trade, in order to get at both the foreign and home trades he had taken the opinions of the all of that portion of the Tariff Act which relates Chambers of Commerce throughout the country with the following results:-Twenty-eight of unexpected, causes, a general feeling of relief them replied that their trade was good, 22 that is was moderate, and 23 that it was bad : 32 said that the prospects of trade were good, 23 that | momentous event since the Abelition of Slavery. they were moderate, and 13, bad. The prospects | The law is not regarded as properly an economic were said to be bad in the cotton, coal, Iron. Formosa the first thing to be done is to connect glass, lace, and holsery trades; moderate in shipping and shipbuilding; and good in the woollen, engineering, building, and leather trade. There was one high testimony, from Luton, to the value of technical education as a means of restoring our industries to their old-time status. In his opinion the causes adverse to trade were decreasing, and those favourable to it were increasing, and in aiding this revival he bespoke the organised and effective help of all the Chambers of Commerce of the country.

Mansion House on 22nd May, Sir W. Harcourt stated:-"I have seen waves of depression before. I have seen this country recover from I dispute between Great Britain and Nicaragua that depression. I have reliance on its recupera- I was being adjusted, he publicly expressed his tive power: I have reliance, above all, on those I regret that inactivity was imposed upon him by principles of commerce, not figure, and of the policy pursued from Washington, and that currency which have been current in this country | he was not at liberty to interpose fires to prevent for the last fifty years. I know that I am treading the British blue ickets and marines being on dangerous ground. I will apologise before- landed on Micaraguan territory. In giving his hand for any susceptibilities that I may have approval to the action of the Department. touched; but, standing here in the very centre | President Cleveland embodies in his endorseof the money market of the world, I will appeal | ment the expression of his regret that such long | 8,45 to-night, to the experience of the last half century in land brilliant services as constituted the record defence of the Commercial, the fiscal, and the of Admiral Meade should have been 'marred by monetary principles which have made this conduct so completely at variance with his United Kingdom what it is. These com- | career. mercial principles have been built up by a trade unexampled in the history of the is being maintained, largely through the is 1,150 tons. world and without parallel in any other excellent form shown by Mr. Herbert Gladstone, State. Your monetary principle has made who promises to do remarkably well for the you the great money market of the world, Government at Furzedown. Curiously enough, Mr. Thomas Fairle, chief engineer of the Hiroand, in my opinion, you will still remain on every occasion he has had to meet members | skima Maru; a sad event which took place at | time bedridden for over a year, that of the South Sea Islanders, and might be so. I desire not unnecessarily to introduce any of the Opposition, and in all the four rounds he sea quite suddenly on the 11th instant. He was to state that Her Majerty's Government abide Royal and Ancient Club at St. Andrews, and Glasgow, where his parents are still living. He by these principles, and that they are not willing, bimself one of the prettiest players in the House. was very popular with all with whom he came either at home or abroad, to encourage the This gentleman made a fair stand on behalf of in contact. notion, in any circumstances, that they are prepared to depart from them. Nothing could missioner of Works won with comparative case NEWS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL, be more unwise, nothing could be more dangerous, than that the responsible Government of a country like this should allow it to be supposed in any part of the world that they held ambiguous language, or had any doubtful mind upon a Wednesday. The "Princess of Wales had question of this character."

A cricket match was played at Denmark Hill on 11th May, between teams of the Hongkong and Shanghal Banking Corporation and the London and Westminister Bank. The London and Westminister went in first and scored 170 for seven wickets. The Hongkong Bank made 56 in their first innings, and going in a second | Scotland. time made 23 for four wickets.

the cricket matches on 18th May. Following yesterday on the subject of the Armenian the bicyclists into the park, up the advantage they gained on the previous atrocities. Proceedings were private, but it day. Lancashire defeated the M.C.C., at Lord's, appears Lord Rosebery laid stress on the concert by ten wickets. At the Oval, Surrey carried of England, France, and Russia in dealing with I ment has just published reports from Consular their score to 520, Lockwood, contributing this question, 158. Warwickshire, going in a second time, lost a wicket in making 20 runs, and at the Shahzada Nasru'la, says that the Ameer having drawing of stumps were 368 behind. Notts continued their batting on the Trent Brigade tives of our Government, has shown himself are two articles-condensed milk and raising- his son, Otto, who is on the way from Ohio. ground, where Gunn had made 219 on the strong in many things. In nothing, perhaps, previous day. Mr. Howitt now put on 119, has he shown himself stronger than in the Europeans and Chinese, and should command about 9.30 o'clock saw the glant frame of the and Bagguley 110, the whole side not being constant command which he has exercised over out till the large total of 726 had been amassed this own ambition. Sussex completed an innings for 170. Mr. Grace played a magnificent innings of 288 at President, and a certain number of Commis- Bristol where Gloucestershire were not dismissed till they had run up a score of 474; Somersetshire I tampering with the gold standard or from enterthen made 45 without loss, and, with all their wickets in hand, were 126 runs behind. In reply suggested the formation of a Parliamentary to an innings of 426 by Mr. Thornton's England | Committee in defence of the present monetary eleven. Cambridge University scored 323 and standard. took a wicket for eight runs. At Oxford the Next Seventeen carried their first innings' score | evasive reply to a question about the reform of of State, from amongst officials of Chohunin to 426, Mr. G. O. Smith making 131. The First | the War Office. The Times persists in demand-Thirteen put on 135 for two wi kets. Liverpool ing the appointment of a small executive comand District had a seven-wicket victory over mission, in order to end what it calls the present Yorkshire.

A Reuter's telegram from Moscow says that a laffairs. party, consisting of six Russian noblemen. riding along the new frontier between Russia and British territory. They will also proceed along a portion of the Russo-Chinese frontier.

The Crown Prince of Slam, accompanied by his brother, his two half-brothers, and a numerous suite, arrived at Newcastle-on-Tyne on May 20th. Prince Sevasti, brother of the King of of Slam and Sia nese pienipotentlary in Europe. travelled with his nephows, and the Marquis De Maha Yotha, Siamese Minister in London, was also present. The Royal party were the guests dent, be entrusted with a share in the manage. of Sir Andrew Noble at Jesmond Dene-house. On 21st they visited the Elswick Works. The

party left for London on aand. The appointment of Field Marshal Lord paralytic disease, which rendered them incapable and the Commissioners shall receive an annual Weiseley to the Coloneley of the Royal Horse of labouring for any of the objects which made Guards leaves practically no further step in the life worth living. Mr. Chamberlain said that be military profession open to him. There are the circumstances under which the alliance of appointed to the Bureau of Fermosan Affairs, many appointments of dignity which he might | liberal Unionists had been formed, was creditable | this market." They shall be of Sonin rank; and their official be called upon to fill-such as the Aldershot to English statesmanship and patriotism. Their grade and salary shall be regulated in accord. command, for instance-when his present tenure | differences had lessened until they had almost of command in Ireland has expired, but the sank disappeared. He confirmed the testimony of of Field-Marshal, coupled with the Coloneley of Mr. Ballour as to the cordiality of the relationship Although his receivery was practically abandoned prudent administrator of public affairs, yet he of State, one of the regiments of Household Cavalry, has which had subsisted between them. Comrade- when the sinking spell occurred shortly before 6 | did not rise in any of the three vocations to the

the most successful British soldier. Experiments have been carried on for some | there were still differences of individual opinion time past at Pirbright with a new aerial in their general policy, there was complete was made through an open weln in the arm, the har, and attracted the attention of the They shall be of Hannin rank ; and they shall apparatus to be used in place of a captive identity of aims, and complete union as to He recovered wightly, but owing to severe country. His administration of the public

and consists chiefly of a huge kite, containing some 500 square feet of canvas, which is assisted and steadled by other smaller kites. Not only has it been found, writes a military correspondent, that this apparatus can lift a man in moderate breezes, but it has lately been proved capable of doing so in a dead calm, the ropes being drawn along by men or by horses.

There were unmistakable symptoms of revolt against the Government on the part of several of the North of Scotland members who on 17th May attended a meeting of the Highland Land Law Reform Association, at Westminister. Mr. Welr and Dr. Clark stated that it was their immediate intention to force the fight. They said they had lost all faith in the Government with regard to the Crofters Bill, and did not believe that the Government had any intention of pressing on the measure this session, otherwise it would have been earlier introduced. Mr. Donald C. Fraser, secretary, read a letter from Dr. MacGregor, MP. It stated that, as a

protest against the conduct of the Government in practically throwing the Crofters Bill overboard, and because as a true Radical he could not find it in his heart to vote against a Government with which he was otherwise in sympathy, he had resolved upon resigning.

The United States Supreme Court has declared | Oristes the Income Tax to be unconstitutional in toto. The Court decided against the law by a majority Wingsang......... The 13th annual general meeting of the majority, which was to the effect that the tax Lycemoon void, because not apportioned according to one entire scheme of taxation were necessarily invalid. The sections mentioned constitute to the income tex. The decision though not and thankfulness. The common remark is. states a correspondent, "that it is the most measure of taxation, but as Socialistic legislation designed by the poorer Western and Southern States to compel the richer and more prosperous Eastern States to bear more than a just share of the taxation. It was believed that, if sustained, the law would prove to be the first in a series of class legislation which would grow steadily more Socialistic in character."

Sensation has been caused in political and official circles in the United States by the announcement of the decision of the Navy Department, by which Admiral Meade is com-Speaking at a dinner given to bankers at the | pulsorily retired with a reprimand endorsed by President Cleveland. The Admiral was in command of the Pacific Squadron, and while the

Interest in the Parliamentary Golf Tournament | at the price of £10,000. Her not measurement which I unworthily hold, I feel it to be my duty | was Mr. Graham Murray, ex-captain of the | was only 38 years of age, and was a native of the front Opposition bench, but the First Comwith three holes in hand.

May 24th. The Princess of Wales being at Sand ingham, the Princess Louise held a drawing-room on promised to attend the flowershow in the Temple Gardens, but excused herself on the Thursday last, in the House of Commons, that ground of indisposition. She returned from the Duke of Cambridge, as the Ranger of Hyde dinner party.

Balmoral, owing to the cold prevailing in Hyde Park until to a.m., after which hour they

The Times, in a leader, welcoming the ducts and fruits.

Wednesday, Mr. Bestram Currie trusted that Mr. ing into untried and hazardous experiments. He

Mr. Campbell-Bannerman has given an disgraceful mismanagement of our military

The Framdenolatt, the official organ of the chowsky. Though a Conservative and a Roman the foreign communities. Catholic, Count Kainoky is not a reactionary,

The indignation of the Crofter representatives refer the Crofters' Bill to a Scotch Standing English members to the committee. In discussion yesterday, the Highland members asserted that the result of the recent bys-elections was owing to the Government's want of backbone.

that the Government was stricken with a mortal hitherto been the usual "highest possible" for ship in arms had brought about a better understanding and a closer relationship. Though balloon for military purposes. It is the invention method, by which these sims were to be rigors shortly before 35 o'clock he began to finances under Arthur, and of toreign affairs Thomas Krupz, Victoria Chambers, 19, South, of Lieutenant Baden-Powell, of the Scote Gizards, | accompilated,

SHIPPING AND MAIL NEWS MAILS DUE :

Apperation (Chingle) to-morrow. English (Rosetta) 20'h inst. German (Rayery) and prox. Tacoma (Victoria) 5th prox. American (Beigle) 16th prox. Tacoma (Tacoma) 19th prox. Canadian (Empress of Fapan) 22nd prox.

THE Imperial German Mail steamers Bayers carrying the German mails under date Berlin art last, left Singarore for this port at 2 p.m. yesterday, and may be expected here on or about Tuesday morning the and proxima.

We are informed by the Agents of the Austrian Lloyd's S. N. Co. that the Company's steamer Marta Valerte left Kobo for this port at 4 p.m.

SHIPPING RETURNS.

From 5 p.m. yesterday to 5 p.m. to-day.

ARRIVALS. Progress.....steamer from Touron, Singapore, Toyl in Chefoo. Singapore. Canton. Samarang, Aggregating 9,874 tons register, DEPARTURES. Salgon, Continental Swatow. Menmuir Kobe. W. Tarlaberg ... Kulchinotra. Kong Bong Swatow, etc. City of Peking Yokohama, etc Singapore

The British steamship Wingsang left Calcutta on the 12th instant, and arrived at Penang on the 18th, and experienced fresh monsoon and moderate sea during the passage. Left Penang on the roth; arrived at Singapore on the aist. Left Singapore on the 22nd; thence to lat, 10 deg, north, experienced fresh monsoon and high sea; thence to port had light southerly and easterly winds and fine weather.

Aggregating 12,694 tons register.

Lawang

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK RETURNS. P C. C. Klao in Kowloon Dock. Hanol.....

The Spanish cruiser Reina Cristina lef yesterday for Manila. H.M.S. Leander left Yokohama homeward

bound on the 18th lest. Discussion on Mr. Jack's papers at the Room of the Institute of Engineers and Shipbuilders at

The steamer Protos, belonging to the Flengs. burg Steam Navigation Company, has, the Faban Mail save, been sold to Japanese owners

We greatly regret to announce the death of

The following telegrams from our San Francisco exchanges were "crowded out" of last night's issue :-

LONDON, May 25th. As a sign of the times it was announced on Norfolk, however, to attend the Queen's birthday | Park, has been compelled to give a rejuctant consent to the admission into the park of bicy-The Oncen has postponed her departure for clists. The riders will only be allowed in will be excluded until the park is opened to them A deputation, headed by the Duke of West- | the next morning. The Duke of Cambridge has There was some semarkably high scoring in miniter, had an interview with Lord Rosebery hitherto been firmly opposed to the admission of

WASHINGTON, May 25th. The Bureau of Statistics of the State Departofficers upon the Oriental market for dairy pro-

Consul Hunt of Hongkong sums up the sublearned to place implicit trust in the representa- | ject for that part of China as follows :- "There from the United States which are used by an important place in the market. I might add It is necessary to improvise a new mode of pack-Balfour, when in office, would be restrained from | ing them; superior, or at least equal, "to that of hypodermic injections of hitro-glycerine,

> "It is absolutely necessary in this climate to too long to avail of cold storage. Mearly all of hastening at once to join the little party of the butter consumed at this point comes from | watchers, Ruten's a small percentage being from Australis. As for cheese, the United States compares very favourably with the European supply, but it would command a better price in this market if it were put up in smaller sizes."

reports :- "The market for dairy products and that Secretary Gresham fully realized his position fruits in Japan is very limited, since the demand! and desired to spend his last moments with his headed by Count Alexis Bobriosky and accom- Vienna Foreign Office, explains that Count for them, except apples, is confined to the foreign loved ones. He had been conscious and even the debates, report the results of the debates to shorters admirably equipped, left about a week | considerations, but to what he conceives to be of the higher class who have come into direct | the midnight hour drew near the waning forces the Minister President of State, and superintend ago for the Pamir region, with the intention of an attempt in Hungary to restrict the sphere of contact with foreigners. The consumption of activity of the Foreign Minister. Count Golu- butter and choose is confined almost entirely to sank into silence. Although almost pulseless

> "There has been a great demand in Japan for to some exicut been supplied by shipments from Committee, and to the addition of twenty the Pacific Coast and from Canada, but recently the orchard in the northern end of Yesso." stocked with imported trees under Government supervision, and producing ex :ellent pears and mooles, have begun to bear fruit in sufficient farm near Corydon, Indiana, March 17th, 1832, At a Liberal Unionist meeting at St. James's | quantities to go fartoward supplying the demand, Hall the same day, the Duke of Devoushire said | and the quantity will in all probability increase as the years pack

"The trade in preserved and prepared fruits

Secretary Greekam died at 1.14 o'clock this morning at his rooms at the Arlington House. was a skilful officer, a sound jurist, and a last evening, the most powerful heart stimulants first rank. His services in the field were highly known is medical, acience were injected periodically, and an infusion of normal saling solution

The three physicians saw that the end was near, and at 12 o'c'ock withdrew to the antercom leaving in the sickroom only the members of his family and the nurses.

Up to that time the Secretary had been conscious and talked at intervals. His words were full of bravery. He fully appreciated his condition and spoke words of hope and cheer to his at icken wife and daughter. Sometimes his mi d wandered slightly and went back to the days of long ago, recalling tackdents of life and happiness in the spring of his life. He spoke, too, of his absent son and his Private Secretary, Mr. Sandis, whom he loved as a son, and who, lke his son, was speeding to his bedside, all too late. Mrs. Gresham sat at the bedside smoothing his fevered brow and occasionally reading to. him from the Bible passages which he loved, As, the end approached his pulse became bardly perceptible. Gradually his eyes glased and closed, Mrs. Gresbam, with noble and heroic fertifude, continuing to read the words of the gospel to her departed husband. Her daughter and son-in-law stood with bowed heads at the side of the couch.

A 1:15 o'clock his breathing ceased; a family were in the presence of death. One of were half a bundred of the Secretary's friends. Mrs. Gresham's devotion to her husband during his illness has been of the most tender, patient-and-falthful character. She seemed determined to fight off death.

"If he dies," she said many times, "I lose all," The utmost persuasion was required to induce her to even lie down. Yesterday she grew to faint from exhaustion that she recled and would have fallen had not one of the nurses caught her in her arms.

Mr. Gresham's illness began May 1st when he was attacked with acute pleurisy. The physicians disgnosed his case as gall-stone in the bladder at first, his pleurisy symptoms being everlooked for almost thirty-six hours. As soon as Dr. W. W. Johnson, was called he discovered that the Secretary was suffering from an acute case of pleurisy, probably, caused by exposure while riding out to Woodley, the President's country home, at night. In the meantime the gall stone had passed. The Secretary's right lung was affected, the cavity being already filled with pleuritic fluid. His respiration rose to 43 The physicians decided not to tap the cavity but to rely upon absorbtion to rid it of the exuded

Gradually Secretary Gresham grew better. The respiration was reduced to almost normal, Last Saturday when Dr. Johnson thought all | from clear. danger pist the left lung suddenly became affected and filled rapidly. Since then either Dr. Johnson or the consulting physician has been at his bedside constantly, as have Mrs. Gresham and the Secretary's son-in-law, Mr. Andrews. He passed a very bad night on Saturday and a bad day Sunday, suffering so much pain that last night he was placed under the is fisence of oplater. He has been kept more or less under their influence all day. His long ilineas had weakened the Secretary greatly, and his physicians decided that in his exhausted condition he could not undergo an operation for the removal of the fluid. The fact that the Secretary has had stomach trouble for years, and has been obliged to diet, mitigated against any rapid recovery of strength. Secretary Gresham had an attack of pleurisy years ago. He has slso suffered much from his wounds, being at one

About 5.30 p.m. he sank sapidly and death cerine—the most powerful of all heart stimulants | programme. -and strychnine were made. His blood-vessels were in a state of collapse, and his condition was so extremely critical that the physicians decided that transfession was immediately necessary in order to stimulate the heart. Dr. Raenszeller, an expert surgeon and son-in-law of Dr. Johnson, left arm and infused a pint and a half of normal and about o o'clock the stricken statesman had his pleasure in the plan in a letter addressed to

revived somewhat. The news which came later that Secretary Gresham was dying spread like wildfire through the city, and public officials and friends of the Secretary called at the hotel by the score and asked anxiously for information.

President Cleveland, who was at Woodley, was then telephoned to and kept constantly informed as to his Premier's condition, He sent in word that if it was possible for him to see the Secretary or to be any assistance he would be glad to come in, but the physicians stated that it would be impossible for the Secretary to see any one, and he therefore. decided to retain at Woodley,

Secretary Gresham was conscious almost the entire evening. Many times he inquired for Meanwhile the anxious watchers at the bedside Secretary convolted by a severe chill. He sank that becon, butter, and ham and all kinds of sait I rapidly, but the chill passed away, and he In a discussion at the London Institution on | meats are in demand, at a small profit, however, | recovered slightly, and then dozed for a few minutes. The physicians continued to give 12:10 he suffered another rigor.

'At 11:30 Secretary Herbert came to the hotel. protect any perishable fruit; as the voyage is He had serived in Washington about 9.30,

By midnight the signs of dissolution were crowding thick and fast. The members of the Secretary's family, who had been excluded earlier in the evening from a fear that their presence might arouse the apprehension of the Consul-General McIver of Kanagawa, Japan, Toying man, had been admitted, for it was plain Art. IX -The President shall preside over panied by about a dozen servants, all sharp- Kalnoky's resignation is not owing to personal residents at the open ports and a few natives conversed calmiy with those about him, but as the mints began last Saturday and there is of life were no longer equal to the effort, and he and without signs of life otherwise, his eyes still showed the gleam of intelligence and appreclation apples and pears, as those grown here have of what was going on around him, and the is chiefly due to the refusal of the Government to | very Hills taste of flavour, and the demand has | watchers walted in silent agony of spirit for the last flicker of life.

> stock that was Virginian generations ago, from of his intellect unimpaired. roots which have given the country great jurists. statesmen and Presidents. He was born on a of age, still lives in the house where the young | Baltimore." Gresham, with five brothers and sisters, all of whom still live, first saw the light. Walter and products has been largely controlled by was the next to the youngest, and his English manufacturers for many years. There | middle name, Quinton, was given him after is no reason why he should not at least shape one of his father's best filends. The late which the Pope assured the Cardinal he took the Walter Q. Gresham figures in the three-fold keenest interest. capacity of soldier, lawyer and statesman, and in all three, he figures creditably. He appreciated by General Grant. His decision in the Wabash case commanded the admiration of

for a lifelem, but neither did they elich enthusiastic approval. Mr. Gresham once refused to accept a nomination from the Populists, but he could not resist the temptation to "rat" from his party at the beginning of the campaign of 1802, and to come out for Cleveland. The act would have been political suicide if he had not been selected for Secretary of State. This saved Gresham at the cost of Cleveland, The Democratic leaders never forgave their chief for going out of the party ranks to choose an official who in a given contingency would have succeeded to the Presidency. If Mr. Gresham had exhibited transcendent ability in the Department of State, Cleveland could have replied to his Democratic c-ltics that he had selected the Indianian to be Premier because he had no equal in the ranks of the Democracy; but as a matter of fact, Mr. Cleveland's Secretary proved quite an ordinary man, who could have been duplicated in any of the woods where Democrats are prown. Hence, the bitterness which filled the Democratic mouth when Gresham was first appointed has gone on increasing ever since. and it is, according to the Frisco Bulleties, peaceful shadow passed over his pale coun- no doubt one of the chief causes o tenance, his pulse flickered and the sorrowing Cleveland's unpopularity to-day. As Secretary of State in the present administration Mr. the nurses conveyed the news that the end had Gresham has had to deal with perhaps come, to the physicians in the next room, and more vexations, intricate and delicate diplomatic they in turn brought"it to the watchers in the strairs than has fallen to the share of most reception-room. In the hotel lobby outside Secretaries of State. From his long judicial experience he was disposed to view every question from the standpoint of exact and equal justice, and the first consideration with him was absolute fairness. If his own country occupied a false position in the matter he thought it was his duty to set it right, even at mesacrifice of material interests, as it might appear af the lime, Such a course was certain to subject him to public criticism and he fully realized this in advance, but was in no respect deterred from doing what he thought was right,?

LONDON, May sist." The Times in its financial article, referring to the attempt to exclude London from a share in the Chinese indemnity loan, says Russia still doggedly hange to the idea that the Loan shall be confined to Russis, France, and Germany, but, says the Times, on such terms the loan cannot succeed. The only possible plan is

for London also to have a proper share. Even this plan is not politically satisfactory. se it might involve mischlevous interference with the Chinese customs duties to which British vessels contribute over 80 per cent in the revenue. In any case England will not allow Itself to be deprived of its legitimate voice in the settlement of Far Eastern affairs merely because it wisely refused to join the three Powers in a policy of bostility to Japan, conceived in the Interests of Russis, the outcome of which is far

BERLIN, June 1st. The silver question will come up for discussion before the Bundesrath during the coming week at the instance of Prince Hohenlohe, the Imperial Chancellor, and with the co-operation

of the Prussian Minister. The German Bimetallic Union has adopted the following resolution .-- Whereas, the bimetallic movement in England is, according to our information, on the eve of victory; and whereas, public opinion in Germany is governed, even in Government circles, by the prejudice that It would be a doubtful policy to attempt to carry out international bimetallism with the co-operation of France, the United States, etc., so long as England adheres to the gold standard; it is

Resolved, by the German bimetallists, to make Germany's action on the currency question dependent on England's participation, always provided that the Government immediately take all the measures calculated to bring about more properly called "dug outs" than a houses. | controversial topics here. But in the position has come out the winner. His last wictim builed on the following day at sea. Mr. Fairle was momentarily expected. Restoratives were International bimetallism, including England, applied and hypodermic injections of nitrogly. and urge the speedy adhesion of England to this.

In the presence of a typical gathering of students of all the German universities on Saturday the foundation of a monument to Bismarck. as a student, was held at Andlesberg, near Koren. Hans Hoplen, the novelist and president was hastily sent for. He opened a velo in the of the Society of Old Students, delivered the oration. Emperor William contributed" 1,000 saline matter. The operation was successful, | marks toward the cost of the statue and expressed

> Herr Hopfen at the time the project was made. LONDON, June and, Mrs. L. Mary Carlyle Aiken, Thomas Carlyle's niece is dead.

> WASHINGTON, June 3rd. Senor don Gana; the new Chilean Minister, has received the following cablegram :-SANTIAGO, June 3rd.

To Chilian Minister Washington :- It is very gratifying to me to inform you that after seventeen years of the regime of paper money Chile has returned with satisfaction and confidence to the gold standard. The law is in force. FERNANDEZ,

Minister of Finance. The resumption of specie, payments by Chile. which occurred on last Saturday, promises to furnish some interesting lossons on coinage legislation. Reports from there state that the Government tried to familiarize the people with the new forms of silver and gold coin by getting out a preliminary issue. These were quickly exchanged for the old paper money, but as soon as the noyelty had worn off the people were glad to go back to the more convenient form of paper currency. Another embarrassment occurred when the Government found that the coin was being experted in great quantities.

The specie payment law fixed the ratio between the metals, at AI to 1. This ignored the current ratio of the world, that in the London market at the present time below 34 to L. As a result of this difference, gold bullion began to flow out of Chile. The silver dollars were also exported because the law provides that they should contain 444 grains of pure silver. Thus both gold and silver were being drained out of-Chile so that the Government ordered the mints to stop further coinage. Under the new law much inferest as to what will be the result of this last step.

ROME, June ard. Cardinal Gibbons had a private audience of forty minutes with the Pope to-day. He stated that he had not seen the Pope since 1886 and was surprised at his excellent health. He said he was astonished at the mental vivacity of the [Walter Quinton Gresbam came of Kentucky Pope, who, in spite of his age, has the strength

"He showed surprising freshness of memory, recalling even the small details of religious, social and scholastic matter concerning the and his mother, now upward of eighty years United States, especially in the diocese of

> The Cardinal added that the Pope had invited him to further audiences befor he left Rome. in order to discuss the present and future religious and social conditions of the United States, in

CHICAGO, June 4th, The Inter-Ocean's Washington special says that Olney has accepted the position of Secretary

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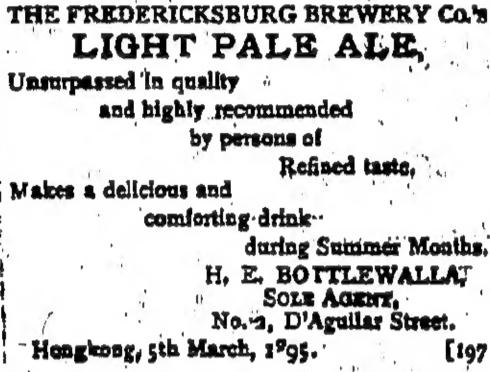
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